

**Preliminary
Minutes
St. Louis Board of Aldermen Meeting
Friday, September 18, 2020
10:00am**

**Due to COVID-19 this meeting was held as a Webinar
Minutes are preliminary and may change until finally approved by the Board**

Call to Order

President Reed called the meeting to order at 10:04am and directed the Assistant Clerk to call the roll.

1. Roll Call

The Assistant Clerk called the roll and the following members answered to their names: Tyus, Middlebrook, Bosley, Evans, T. Hubbard, Ingrassia, Coatar, Rice, Guenther, Vollmer, Martin, Grass, Murphy, Howard, Green, Oldenburg, Roddy, Todd, Davis, Spencer, Muhammad, J. Boyd, Vaccaro, Narayan, S. Hubbard, P. Boyd, Navarro and President Reed. **28 members were present. A quorum was established.**

Mr. Cohn joined the meeting while in progress making 29 members present.

2. Prayer

President Reed asked for a moment of silence in recognition of the passing of Lou Brock, Charles Drury, and Betty Jean Kerr.

Ms. Tyus asked that Wayman Smith be added; Ms. Davis asked that David Dorn be added; Ms. Murphy asked that Dr. Danforth be added and Mr. Narayan asked that Officer Bohannon be added.

President Reed lead the members in a moment of silence was held.

President Reed led the members in the opening prayer:

“Almighty God, source of all authority, we humbly ask guidance in our deliberations and wisdom in our conclusions. Amen.”

3. Announcement of Any Special Order of the Day

President Reed welcomed all the members back after the Summer Recess.

4. Introduction of Honored Guests

Mr. Vaccaro recognized Mr. Greg Meyer as his honored guest.

Ms. Davis recognized as her honored guests the seniors of the 19th Ward who listen to the Friday meetings.

Mr. Vollmer mentioned that today, September 18, 2020, was national Cheese Burger Day. He urged everyone to go out and buy a cheese burger from as many local businesses as possible.

5. Approval of Minutes

President Reed recognized Mr. J. Boyd on the motion to approve the minutes of the Friday, July 17, 2020 meeting.

Mr. J. Boyd moved for the approval of the minutes of the Friday, July 17, 2020 full Board of Aldermen meeting.

Seconded by Mr. Vollmer.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

6. Report of City Officials

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the Report of City Officials.

The Assistant Clerk read the following:

a.) Report of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen

The following Board Bill from the 2020-2021 Legislative Session were Third Read and Finally passed by the Board, signed by the President and delivered to the Mayor for their signature pursuant to law. The list below shows the Bill Number, Name of the Sponsor, Description of the Board Bills and the Date Delivered:

Board Bill Number 20

Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An ordinance enacting a curfew for Chambers Park, Jet Banks Park, Norman Seay Park, Terry Park, and Tiffany Park, prohibiting individuals from idling, wandering, strolling, playing or otherwise being in or upon the premises of said parks, and the public areas immediately adjacent to said parks daily, throughout the year, between the hours of 7:00 pm and 7:00 am, and containing an emergency clause.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 27

As Amended

Introduced by Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia, Alderwoman Megan Green, Alderwoman Shameem Hubbard, Alderwoman Annie Rice, Alderwoman Cara Spencer

An ordinance requiring third-party food delivery services and certain food establishments to display City Health Department performance and risk-based inspection letter grades on the platforms used for taking online orders; and prohibiting third-party food delivery services from imposing requirements regarding purchase prices covered establishments may charge for orders of food and beverage, or goods; and capping fees charged food establishments by third-party food delivery services; and requiring third-party food delivery services to obtain a business license; requiring third-party delivery services to disclose commissions charged food establishments by the third-party food delivery service; and requiring third-party food delivery services and food establishments to disclose gratuity policies for delivery workers; and containing an emergency clause, and severability clause.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 64**Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An Ordinance recommended and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing and directing the Director of Airports and the Comptroller of the City of St. Louis, owner and operator of St. Louis Lambert International Airport® to enter into and execute on behalf of the City the Second Amendment to Banking Concession Agreement, AL-278 between the City and U. S. Bank National Association, amending the Banking Concession Agreement AL-278 as amended; the Second Amendment was approved by the Airport Commission and is attached hereto as ATTACHMENT “1” and made a part hereof, and its terms are more fully described in Section One of this Ordinance; containing a severability clause; and containing an emergency clause.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 84**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy**

An ordinance renewing the previous determinations made by Ordinance Number 66847 and Ordinance Number 66985, and as renewed by Ordinance Number 68754 and Ordinance Number 70119 for the Redevelopment Area (defined below); finding that the redevelopment of such area is necessary and in the public interest under Chapter 353 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri 2016, as amended, and under Chapter 11.06 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, and is in the interest of the peace, public health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the people of the City of St. Louis; and renewing the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by the City of St. Louis to CORTEX West Redevelopment Corporation (“CORTEX”) to exercise the power of eminent domain within the Redevelopment Area.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 88**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy, Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An Ordinance establishing a three-way stop site at the intersection of Folsom Avenue and Klemm Street regulating all traffic traveling eastbound and westbound on Folsom Avenue at Klemm Street and regulating all traffic traveling northbound on Klemm Street at Folsom Avenue, and containing an emergency clause.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 89**As Amended****Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy, Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An Ordinance establishing a stop site at the intersection of McRee Avenue and Klemm Street regulating all traffic traveling Northbound and Southbound on Klemm Street at McRee Avenue; and containing an emergency clause.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

Board Bill Number 92**As Amended**

Introduced by President Lewis Reed, Alderman John Muhammad, Alderwoman Lisa Middlebrook, Alderman John Coatar, Alderwoman Beth Murphy, Alderwoman Carol Howard, Alderman Thomas Oldenburg, Alderwoman Marlene Davis, Alderman Bret Narayan, Alderwoman Pamela Boyd

This Board Bill, in accordance with Article XXV Section 1 of the St. Louis City Charter, and upon being recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, amend the duties of the Division of Corrections and Department of Health & Hospitals.

Date Delivered: Friday, July 17, 2020

The following Board Bills from the 2019 - 20 Legislative Session were signed by the Mayor and issued an ordinance number by the City Register pursuant to law. The list below shows the Bill Number, Name of the Sponsor, Effective Date and Ordinance Number:

Board Bill Number 1

As Amended

Introduced by President Lewis Reed and Alderman Joseph Vollmer

City's Annual Budget Appropriation for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2021, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of One Billion, One Hundred Sixteen Million, Three Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand, Four Hundred Ninety-Seven Dollars (\$1,116,375,497) which sum is hereby appropriated from Revenue and Special Funds named for the purposes hereinafter enumerated and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 8, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71160

Board Bill Number 12

Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An ordinance recommended and approved by the Airport Commission and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Comptroller, on behalf of the City of St. Louis (the "City"), the owner and operator of St. Louis Lambert International Airport® (the "Airport"), to accept a First Supplemental Agreement to Airport Aid Agreement for Project No. AIR 196-113C-1 offered by the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission; and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71175

Board Bill Number 14

Introduced by Alderwoman Tammika Hubbard

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and Comptroller of the City of St. Louis to execute, upon receipt of and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, a Quit Claim Deed to remise, release, and forever quit-claim unto The Board of Education certain City-owned property located in City Block 0362, which property is known and numbered as 1100 Monroe Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63106 and 1101 Madison Street, St. Louis, MO 63106 in the City of St. Louis, Missouri.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71188

Board Bill Number 17

Introduced by Alderwoman Carol Howard

An ordinance approving a blighting study and Redevelopment Plan for the 4500-4510 S. Kingshighway Blvd. Redevelopment Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71189

Board Bill Number 18**Introduced by Alderwoman Howard**

An ordinance approving a blighting study and Redevelopment Plan for the 4314 Itaska St. Redevelopment Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71190

Board Bill Number 19**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vollmer**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan for the 5633-5637 Botanical Ave. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71191

Board Bill Number 20**Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An ordinance enacting a curfew for Chambers Park, Jet Banks Park, Norman Seay Park, Terry Park, and Tiffany Park, prohibiting individuals from idling, wandering, strolling, playing or otherwise being in or upon the premises of said parks, and the public areas immediately adjacent to said parks daily, throughout the year, between the hours of 7:00 pm and 7:00 am, and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71192

Board Bill Number 21**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vollmer**

An ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission approving the name of a new public street located in City Block 4084 in the approved La Collina subdivision.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71176

Board Bill Number 23**Introduced by Alderman Jeffrey Boyd**

An ordinance recommended by the Parking Commission making appropriation for payment of the operating expenses, capital expenses, including lease purchase agreements and debt service expenses of the Parking Division of the Treasurer's Office for fiscal year July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021, in the sum of Seventeen Million, Five Hundred Sixty Thousand, Five Hundred Eighty-Four Dollars (**\$17,560,584**) including One Million, Nine Hundred Thirty Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (\$1,930,335) for Capital Improvements; containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71177

Board Bill Number 25**Introduced by Alderwoman Cara Spencer**

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Director of the City of St. Louis Department of Health (DOH) to enter into and execute a Contractor Agreement with the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) as part of a Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) grant, #6NU38OT000306-02-01, CFDA #93.421 to fund use of a Public Health & Safety Team (PHAST) toolkit, upon approval of the Board of Estimate and

Apportionment, and to expend funds by entering into contracts or otherwise for the grant purposes and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71178

Board Bill Number 27

As Amended

Introduced by Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia, Alderwoman Megan Green, Alderwoman Shameem Hubbard, Alderwoman Annie Rice, Alderwoman Cara Spencer

An ordinance requiring third-party food delivery services and certain food establishments to display City Health Department performance and risk-based inspection letter grades on the platforms used for taking online orders; and prohibiting third-party food delivery services from imposing requirements regarding purchase prices covered establishments may charge for orders of food and beverage, or goods; and capping fees charged food establishments by third-party food delivery services; and requiring third-party food delivery services to obtain a business license; requiring third-party delivery services to disclose commissions charged food establishments by the third-party food delivery service; and requiring third-party food delivery services and food establishments to disclose gratuity policies for delivery workers; and containing an emergency clause, and severability clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71193

Board Bill Number 28

As Amended

Introduced by Alderman John Coatar, Alderwoman Marlene Davis, Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia, Alderman Dan Guenther, Alderwoman Carol Howard, Alderwoman Tammika Hubbard

An ordinance enlarging the boundaries of the City of St. Louis Port Authority (the “Port Authority”), subject to the approval of the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission, and authorizing and directing certain actions by the Port Authority.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71179

Board Bill Number 29

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vaccaro, Alderwoman Carol Howard, and Alderman Joseph Vollmer

An ordinance submitting to the qualified voters of the City of St. Louis, a proposal to revise Section 2 of Article VIII of the City of St. Louis Charter which requires City employees to reside within the boundaries of the City of St. Louis and thus allow said employees, except for City Agency and Department Directors appointed by the Mayor, to reside outside of the boundaries of the City of St. Louis, and; providing for an election to be held for voting on the proposed revision and the manner of voting thereat and; for the publication, certification, deposit, and recording of this ordinance; and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71180

Board Bill Number 30**Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated January 21, 2020 for the 3603 Cass Ave. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71194

Board Bill Number 31**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated January 21, 2020 for the 1417-1433 Tower Grove Ave. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71195

Board Bill Number 32**Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated February 25, 2020 ("Plan") for the 1800-1808 Washington Blvd. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71196

Board Bill Number 33**Introduced by Alderman Dan Guenther**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated January 21, 2020 ("Plan") for the 3535-3537 Missouri Ave. Area ("Area") in the City of St. Louis ("City") after finding that the Area is blighted as defined in Section 99.320 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2016, as amended, (the "Statute" being Sections 99.300 to 99.715 inclusive), finding that there shall be available 5-year tax abatement based on 50% of the assessed value of the incremental improvements for 3535-3537 Missouri Ave.; and pledging cooperation of the Board of Aldermen.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71197

Board Bill Number 34**Introduced by Alderman Jesse Todd**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated February 25, 2020 ("Plan") for the 811-817 North Kingshighway Blvd. Area ("Area") in the City of St. Louis ("City") after finding that the Area is blighted as defined in Section 99.320 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2016, as amended, (the "Statute" being Sections 99.300 to 99.715 inclusive), finding that there shall be available 10-year tax abatement based on 95% of the assessed value of the incremental improvements for 811-817 North Kingshighway Blvd.; and pledging cooperation of the Board of Aldermen.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71198

Board Bill Number 35**Introduced by Alderman Jesse Todd**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated February 25, 2020 ("Plan") for the 5143 Delmar Blvd. Area ("Area") in the City of St. Louis ("City") after finding that the Area is blighted as defined in Section 99.320 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2016, as amended, (the "Statute" being Sections 99.300 to 99.715 inclusive), finding that there shall be available 10-year

tax abatement based on 95% of the assessed value of the incremental improvements for 5143 Delmar Blvd.; and pledging cooperation of the Board of Aldermen.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71199

Board Bill Number 40

Introduced by Alderwoman Heather Navarro

An ordinance approving a blighting study and Redevelopment Plan for the 5078, 5080-5090 Delmar Blvd. Redevelopment Area ("Area") after finding that the Area is blighted as defined in Section 99.320 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2016, as amended ("RSMo"), (the "Statute" being Sections 99.300 to 99.715 inclusive), finding that financial aid may be necessary to enable the Area to be redeveloped in accordance with the Plan; finding that there shall be available 10 year tax assurance; and pledging cooperation of the Board of Aldermen and requesting various officials, departments, boards and agencies of the City to cooperate and to exercise their respective powers in a manner consistent with the Plan.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71200

Board Bill Number 43

Introduced by Alderman Brandon Bosley

An ordinance recommended by the Board of Public Service to conditionally vacate above surface, surface and sub-surface rights for vehicle, equestrian and pedestrian travel in Elliott from North Market northwardly to a point previously vacated by Ordinance 67779 and Leffingwell from North Market northwardly 265.02 feet to a point previously vacated by Ordinance 65271 in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, as hereinafter described, in accordance with Charter authority, and in conformity with Section 14 of Article XXI of the Charter and imposing certain conditions on such vacation.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71201

Board Bill Number 47

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vollmer

An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$17,860,000 as described in Section 94.600 through 94.655, RSMo. 2000, as amended for the period herein stated, which sum is hereby appropriated out of the "Transportation Trust Fund" to the Bi-State Development Agency for transportation purposes; containing a severability and emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71181

Board Bill Number 49

As Amended

Introduced by Joseph Vollmer and Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An Ordinance recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment wherein the Board of Aldermen authorizes the receipt of and appropriates funds under the CARES Act, the Federal Emergency Management Act Grant Program, the Bureau of Justice Assistance Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program, the Community Development Block Grant Program, the Emergency Solutions Grant Program, and the Housing Opportunities for People

with Aids and Ryan White Grant Programs, all relating to the COVID-19 pandemic; and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71182

Board Bill Number 50

Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An ordinance recommended and approved by the Airport Commission, the Comptroller and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, making certain findings with respect to the transfer of up to \$4,500,000 of excess moneys that The City of St. Louis, the owner and operator of St. Louis Lambert International Airport®, intends to transfer from the Debt Service Stabilization Fund to the Operation and Maintenance Fund in accordance with Section 516.B of the Lambert-St. Louis International Airport Indenture of Trust between the City, as Grantor, and UMB Bank, N.A., as Trustee, and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71203

Board Bill Number 51

Introduced by Alderman Jeffrey Boyd

An ordinance amending Section 1 of Ordinance 62101, codified in Chapter 17.62.010 of the Revised Code of Ordinances of the City of St. Louis: to designate the Parking Commissioner as chairperson of the Parking Commission; and to designate the Parking Commission as the City's authority responsible for overseeing public parking, including planning and coordinating public parking policies, programs and operations for any parking facility or area that is owned, leased, or otherwise managed or controlled by the parking division whether in whole or part; and to establish the duties and responsibilities of the parking commission; and to establish the duties.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71204

Board Bill Number 53

As Amended

Introduced by Alderwoman Heather Navarro

An ordinance approving the petition of an owner of certain real property to establish a Community Improvement District, establishing The Forest Park TOD Community Improvement District, finding a public purpose for the establishment of The Forest Park TOD Community Improvement District, and containing an emergency clause and containing a severability clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71183

Board Bill Number 54

Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated May 26, 2020 for the 3306 Washington Blvd. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71205

Board Bill Number 55

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy

An ordinance approving the petition to establish the Iron Hill Community Improvement District; establishing the Iron Hill Community Improvement District as a political subdivision of the State

of Missouri; confirming the prior determination that real estate within the Iron Hill Community Improvement District is a blighted area; finding a public purpose for the establishment of the Iron Hill Community Improvement District; approving appointment of the initial board of directors; containing an emergency clause; and containing a severability clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71184

Board Bill Number 56

Introduced by Alderwoman Carol Howard

An ordinance approving a blighting study and Redevelopment Plan for the 4635 and 4627 Ridgewood Ave. Redevelopment Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71206

Board Bill Number 57

As Amended

Introduced by Alderman Christine Ingrassia

An Ordinance approving the Petition for the Creation of the Soccer Stadium Community Improvement District; establishing the Soccer Stadium Community Improvement District as a political subdivision of the State of Missouri; declaring the Soccer Stadium Community Improvement District to be located in a blighted area; and containing severability and emergency clauses.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71185

Board Bill Number 59

Introduced by Alderwoman Cara Spencer

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated April 21, 2020 for the 3919 and 3920 Minnesota Ave. Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71207

Board Bill Number 63

Committee Substitute As Amended

Introduced by President Lewis Reed, Alderwoman Marlene Davis, Alderwoman Shameem Clark-Hubbard, Alderman John Muhammad, Alderwoman Lisa Middlebrook, Alderwoman Tammika Hubbard, Alderman Brandon Bosley, Alderman Thomas Oldenburg, Alderman Jesse Todd

An ordinance directing the Commissioner of Police to amend the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department Use of Force Policy Special Order, SO 1 - 01 issued April 16, 2014 to include: a ban on officers from using chokeholds or strangleholds as a use of force method; a requirement for officers to use de-escalation tactics when appropriate and possible in place of use of force tactics; to establish a duty to intervene policy; and include comprehensive reporting requirements; and containing a severability and an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71186

Board Bill Number 64**Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis**

An Ordinance recommended and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing and directing the Director of Airports and the Comptroller of the City of St. Louis, owner and operator of St. Louis Lambert International Airport® to enter into and execute on behalf of the City the Second Amendment to Banking Concession Agreement, AL-278 between the City and U. S. Bank National Association, amending the Banking Concession Agreement AL-278 as amended; the Second Amendment was approved by the Airport Commission and is attached hereto as ATTACHMENT “1” and made a part hereof, and its terms are more fully described in Section One of this Ordinance; containing a severability clause; and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71208

Board Bill Number 65**Introduced by Alderman John Coatar, Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia, Alderman Dan Guenther, Alderman Thomas Oldenburg, Alderwoman Sarah Martin, Alderman Bret Narayan, Alderwoman Megan Green**

An ordinance amending Section 2, paragraph 14.01.130 of Ordinance 69346 to permit drink license holders to sell intoxicating beverages not in their original package for consumption on or off the licensed premises; and amending Section 2, paragraph 14.01.390 of Ordinance 68536 to permit licensed restaurants or bars to sell intoxicating beverages for consumption on or off the licensed premises; and amending Section 4, paragraph 14.03.040 of Ordinance 68536 to permit Sunday Drink License holders to sell intoxicating beverages for consumption on or off the licensed premises; and amending Section 1 of ordinance 68786 to permit licensed persons to sell intoxicating beverages at retail not in their original package; and amending Section 4, paragraph 14.05.125 of Ordinance 68536 to permit the refilling of liquor; and amending Section 6, paragraph 14.05.140 of Ordinance 68536 to create an exception to the prohibition on the sale of intoxicating beverages to persons in an automobile; and containing sunset clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71209

Board Bill Number 66**As Amended****Introduced by Alderman John Coatar, Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia**

An ordinance submitting to the qualified voters of the City of St. Louis a gross receipts tax to be imposed on telecommunications providers and fiber network providers as set forth herein that are not otherwise currently subject to such taxes; providing for an election to be held therefore and the manner of voting thereat; and, upon passage of said ballot measure, an amendment to City of St. Louis Ordinance 67717 as codified in Section 23.34.020 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis and Sections 23.34.010 through 23.34.030 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis reflecting gross receipts tax to be imposed as approved by the voters of the City of St. Louis.

Effective Date: July 9, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71187

Board Bill Number 68**Introduced by Alderman Brandon Bosley**

An ordinance recommended by the Board of Public Service to conditionally vacate above surface, surface and sub-surface rights for vehicle, equestrian and pedestrian travel in 1) the 15

foot wide alley in City Block 969 as bounded by Gamble, Jefferson, Stoddard and Elliott, 2) Stoddard from Jefferson to Elliott, 3) the 15 foot wide alley in City Block 968 as bounded by Stoddard, Jefferson, Mills and Elliott in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, as hereinafter described, in accordance with Charter authority, and in conformity with Section 14 of Article XXI of the Charter and imposing certain conditions on such vacation.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71210

Board Bill Number 69

Introduced by Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An ordinance recommended by the Board of Public Service to conditionally vacate above surface, surface and sub-surface rights for vehicle, equestrian and pedestrian travel in 20 foot wide east/west alley in City Block 941 as bounded by Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, 19th St., Delmar Blvd. and 20th St. in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, as hereinafter described, in accordance with Charter authority, and in conformity with Section 14 of Article XXI of the Charter and imposing certain conditions on such vacation.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71211

Board Bill Number 73

Introduced by Alderwoman Pamela Boyd

An ordinance to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Ordinance 60561, approved October 11th, 2000, and codified in Chapter 8.108A of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, pertaining to vendors, to prohibit persons from offering or permitting the offering for free any goods, wares, merchandise, flowers, horticulture products, services, food or beverage, regardless of value, or any coupon, certificate, ticket, voucher, or rebate offer regardless of value, as an inducement to purchase other goods or services or draw customers to a store, business, website or other online platform in order to stimulate sales of goods or services except in those areas designated as Vending Districts and amending the definition of the term “vend or vending” and defining the term “coupon” as such terms used herein.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71212

Board Bill Number 74

Introduced by Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia

An ordinance approving the First Amendment to Soccer Stadium Redevelopment Plan and the First Amendment to Master Redevelopment Agreement; and authorizing and directing the taking of other actions and approval and execution of other documents as are necessary or desirable to carry out and comply with the intent hereof.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71213

Board Bill Number 84

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy

An ordinance renewing the previous determinations made by Ordinance Number 66847 and Ordinance Number 66985, and as renewed by Ordinance Number 68754 and Ordinance Number 70119 for the Redevelopment Area (defined below); finding that the redevelopment of such area is necessary and in the public interest under Chapter 353 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri 2016, as amended, and under Chapter 11.06 of the Revised Code of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, and is in the interest of the peace, public

health, safety, morals, and general welfare of the people of the City of St. Louis; and renewing the certificate of public convenience and necessity granted by the City of St. Louis to CORTEX West Redevelopment Corporation (“CORTEX”) to exercise the power of eminent domain within the Redevelopment Area.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71214

Board Bill Number 88

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy, Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An Ordinance establishing a three-way stop site at the intersection of Folsom Avenue and Klemm Street regulating all traffic traveling eastbound and westbound on Folsom Avenue at Klemm Street and regulating all traffic traveling northbound on Klemm Street at Folsom Avenue, and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71215

Board Bill Number 89

As Amended

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy, Alderwoman Marlene Davis

An Ordinance establishing a stop site at the intersection of McRee Avenue and Klemm Street regulating all traffic traveling Northbound and Southbound on Klemm Street at McRee Avenue; and containing an emergency clause.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71216

Board Bill Number 92

As Amended

Introduced by President Lewis Reed, Alderman John Muhammad, Alderwoman Lisa Middlebrook, Alderman John Coatar, Alderwoman Beth Murphy, Alderwoman Carol Howard, Alderman Thomas Oldenburg, Alderwoman Marlene Davis, Alderman Bret Narayan, Alderwoman Pamela Boyd

This Board Bill, in accordance with Article XXV Section 1 of the St. Louis City Charter, and upon being recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, amend the duties of the Division of Corrections and Department of Health & Hospitals.

Effective Date: July 24, 2020

Ordinance Number: 71217

b.) Office of the Mayor

I have the pleasure to submit the following individuals for reappointment to the **Grand Center Area II Community Improve District**: Gary Clark, Michael Lucido, and Steven Smith.

President Reed recognized Ms. Davis on the motion to approve the Mayor’s appointees to the **Grand Center Area II Community Improve District**.

Ms. Davis moved to approve the Mayor’s reappointments to the **Grand Center Area II Community Improve District**.

Seconded by Mr. Vollmer.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

I have the pleasure to submit the following individual for appointment to the **Ballpark Village Community Improvement District**: Lillie Green.

President Reed recognized Mr. Coatar on the motion to approve the Mayor's appointment to the **Ballpark Village Community Improvement District**.

Mr. Coatar moved to approve the Mayor's reappointments to the **Ballpark Village Community Improvement District**.

Seconded by Mr. Vollmer and Ms. Murphy.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

I have the pleasure to submit the following individuals for the reappointment to the **Cathedral Square Special Business District**: Arthur Hoffman, Kenneth Sowell, Carolyn Welton, Imran Hanafi, and Claudia Wall.

President Reed recognized Ms. Davis on the motion to approve the Mayor's reappointments to the **Cathedral Square Special Business District**.

Ms. Davis moved to approve the Mayor's reappointments to the **Cathedral Square Special Business District**.

Seconded by Mr. Vollmer and Ms. Murphy.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

- c.) **Office of the President**
None

7. **Petitions and Communications**
None

8. **Board Bills for Perfection, Informal Calendar**
President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the Perfection, Informal Calendar.

The Assistant Clerk read the following:

Board Bill Number 44

Introduced by Alderman Bret Narayan

An Ordinance for regulation and control of Air Pollution within the City of St. Louis: repealing Ordinance 68137, approved October 31, 2008; Ordinance 70607, approved July 19, 2017; and Ordinance 71146, approved May 7, 2020, pertaining to the regulation and control of air pollution and

enacting in lieu thereof a new ordinance for the purposes of clarity pertaining to the same subject matter, and containing a severability clause, a penalty clause and an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 87

Introduced by Alderman John Muhammad

An ordinance closing the St. Louis City's O'Fallon Park to the public and prohibiting all uses of O'Fallon park by the public for the period beginning with the effective date of this ordinances and ending January 1, 2021.

Board Bill Number 95

Introduced by Alderwoman Annie Rice, Alderman John Muhammad, Alderman Jesse Todd, Alderman Bret Narayan, Alderman Brandon Bosley, Alderwoman Cara Spencer, Alderwoman Christine Ingrassia, Alderwoman Sarah Martin, Alderwoman Megan Green, Alderman Dan Guenther

An ordinance setting forth regulations for the use of surveillance technology by the City of St. Louis; requiring surveillance technology usage, rules, regulations, specific technologies and guidelines be established and approved by the Board of Aldermen, before any such surveillance technology may be used and plans may be put into practice; and containing a severability clause and emergency clause.

President Reed asked if any member wanted to take any Board Bills off of the Perfection Informal Calendar.

No member requested to take any Board Bill off the Perfection Informal Calendar.

9. Board Bills for Third Reading, Informal Calendar

Board Bill Number 52

Introduced by President Lewis Reed, Alderman Joseph Vollmer

An ordinance, recommended by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, authorizing a supplemental appropriation; amending Ordinance 70963, commonly referred to as the City of St. Louis Annual Operating Plan for Fiscal Year 2019-2020; appropriating and setting apart special fund revenues to address projected revenue shortfalls in the General Fund for the current fiscal year, in the amount of Six Million, Six Hundred Seventy-Six Thousand, Eight Hundred Eighty-Eight Dollars (\$6,676,888) as hereinafter detailed and containing an emergency clause.

(Board Bill 52 was Disapproved by the Mayor)

Board Bill Number 71

As Amended

Introduced by President Lewis Reed, Alderman John Muhammad

An ordinance submitting to the qualified voters of the City of St. Louis, a proposal to add one new article, Article XXVII, of the City of St. Louis Charter which authorizes and directs the Mayor to enter into a long-term lease for the operation and management of the St. Louis Lambert International Airport provided that total proceeds, including the payment of airport debt, are at least \$1.7 billion and creates trust funds to direct the net proceeds of at least \$1.0 billion to be used for public safety, neighborhood development, job and vocational training, streets, bridges, parks, clean and livable neighborhoods, and city infrastructure, and; providing for an election to be held for voting on the proposed revision and the manner of voting thereat and; for the publication, certification, deposit, and recording of this ordinance; and containing an emergency clause.

President Reed asked if any member wanted to take any Board Bills off of the Third Reading Informal Calendar.

No member requested to take any Board Bill off the Third Reading Informal Calendar.

10. Resolutions, Informal Calendar
None

11. First Reading of Board Bills

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the First reading of Board Bills. The Assistant Clerk read the following.

Board Bill Number 98

Introduced by Alderman John Collins- Muhammad

An ordinance establishing the O’Fallon Penrose Special Business District pursuant to Sections 71.790 through 71.808 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, setting its boundaries, tax rate, initial rate of levy subject to the approval of the qualified voters, bonding authority, and uses to which tax revenue may be put; creating a board of commissioners; and containing severability, effectiveness, and emergency clauses.

Board Bill Number 99

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy

An Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission on February 3, 2020, to change the zoning of property as indicated on the District Map and in City Block 3953, from “K” Unrestricted District to the “J” Industrial District, at 510 S. Sarah Street, so as to include the described parcel of land in City Block 3953; and containing an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 100

This Number will not be Used this Session

Board Bill Number 101

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vaccaro

An Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission on September 2, 2020, to change the zoning of property as indicated on the District Map, from the “A” Single-Family Dwelling District to the “F” Neighborhood Commercial District, in City Block 4669 (6839 Fyler Avenue), so as to include the described parcel of land in City Block 4669; and containing an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 102

Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy

An Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission on September 2, 2020, to change the zoning of property as indicated on the District Map, from the “J” Industrial District to the “H” Area Commercial District, in City Block 3904 (235-39 S. Boyle Avenue and 4317-4347 Duncan Avenue), so as to include the described parcels of land in City Block 3904; and containing an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 103

Introduced by Alderwoman Cara Spencer

An Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission on September 2, 2020, to change the zoning of property as indicated on the District Map and in City Block 1648, from “B” Two-Family Dwelling District to the “D” Multiple-Family Dwelling District, at 3600 and 3620 Texas Avenue, so as to include the described parcels of land in City Block 1648; and containing an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 104**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy**

An Ordinance recommended by the Planning Commission on September 18, 2020, to change the zoning of property as indicated on the Forest Park Southeast Form-Based District Map, from “NG2” Neighborhood General Type 2 Zone, “NG3” Neighborhood General Type 3 and “B2” Boulevard Type 2 to the “B2” Boulevard Type 2 Zone only, in City Block 3983 (1400 Tower Grove Avenue, 4238 & 4250-54 Vista Avenue), so as to include the described parcels of land in SECTION ONE below and in City Block 3983; and to further change the overall boundaries of the “NG2” Neighborhood General Type 2 Zone, the “NG3” Neighborhood General Type 3 and the “B2” Boulevard Type 2 Zone in the attached Amended Exhibit B and Amended Exhibit C and established under ordinance 70732; and containing an emergency clause.

Board Bill Number 105**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Roddy**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated April 21, 2020 (“Plan”) for the South Grand Blvd./ Chouteau Ave./ South Spring Ave./ Gratiot St. Area.

Board Bill Number 106**Introduced by Alderman John Coatar**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated July 28, 2020 (“Plan”) for the 801-805 & 813 North 2nd St. Area

Board Bill Number 107**Introduced by Alderman John Coatar**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated July 28, 2020 (“Plan”) for the 505 Washington Ave. Area in the City of St. Louis.

Board Bill Number 108**Introduced by Alderman John Collins- Muhammad**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan dated August 25, 2020 for the 5337 Von Phul St. Area.

Board Bill Number 109**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vollmer**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan for the 5520 Daggett Ave. Area.

Board Bill Number 110**Introduced by Alderman Joseph Vollmer**

An ordinance approving a Redevelopment Plan for the 5509 Magnolia Ave. Area.

Board Bill Number 111**Introduced by Alderman Dan Guenther**

An Ordinance authorizing the execution of a Lease Agreement between The City of St. Louis, Missouri and SCF Lewis and Clark Fleeting LLC a Delaware limited liability company and containing a severability clause.

Board Bill Number 112**Introduced by Alderman John Coatar**

An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 66625, which ordinance relates to a lease between The City of St. Louis, Missouri and Eagle Marine Industries, Inc., a Missouri corporation, authorizing the execution

of a new Lease Agreement between the City and SCF Lewis and Clark Terminals LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and containing a severability clause.

Board Bill Number 113

Introduced by Alderman Brandon Bosley

An ordinance recommended by the Board of Public Service to amend Section One of Ordinance 71210, dated July 24, 2020, by revising the legal description of Stoddard Street from Jefferson Avenue to Elliott Avenue in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, as hereinafter described, in accordance with Charter authority, and in conformity with Section 14 of Article XXI of the Charter and imposing certain conditions on such vacation.

Board Bill Number 114

Introduced by President Lewis Reed

An ordinance making a supplemental appropriation to the Annual Budget Ordinance 71160 for Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2021 amounting to the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) for the purpose of establishing the Justice for St. Louis Families Fund which will provide funding for cash rewards for tips and leads that ultimately end in the arrest of anyone for the crime of murder in St. Louis and containing an Emergency Clause.

12. Reference to Committee of Board Bills

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to read Reference to Committee.

The Assistant Clerk read the following Reference to Committee:

Convention and Tourism:

None

Education and Youth Matters

None

Engrossment, Rules and Resolutions:

None

Health and Human Services:

None

Housing, Urban Development and Zoning:

Board Bill Numbers 99, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106 and 107.

Intergovernmental Affairs:

None

Legislation:

None

Neighborhood Development:

Board Bill Numbers 108, 109 and 110.

Parks and Environmental Matters:

None

Personnel and Administration:
None

Public Employees:
None

Public Safety:
Board Bill Number 114.

Public Utilities:
None

Streets, Traffic and Refuse:
Board Bill Number 113.

Transportation and Commerce:
Board Bill Numbers 111 and 112.

Ways and Means:
Board Bill Number 98

Special Committees
COVID -19:
None

13. Second Reading and Report of Standing Committees

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the Second Reading and Report of Standing Committees.

The Assistant Clerk Read the following:

Ms. Howard of the Public Employees Committee submitted the following report, which was read:

Board of Aldermen Committee Report September 18, 2020

To the President of the Board of Aldermen:

The Public Employees Committee, to which the following Board Bill was referred, reports that it has considered the same and recommends adoption of Board Bill Number 86.

Board Bill Number 86

Introduced by Alderwoman Carol Howard

An ordinance to regulate employer and employee working relationships between the City of St. Louis and all employees under the Classified Service, including a compensation plan, terms and conditions of employment, benefits, leaves of absence, and authorization for a Deferred Compensation Plan; allocating certain other employees to a grade with rate; and amending Section 16(a), Section 16(b), Section 16(c), and Section 16(d) of Ordinance 71099. The provisions of the sections contained in this ordinance shall be effective with the start of the first pay period following approval by the Mayor.

**Alderwoman Carol Howard
Chair of the Committee**

14. Report of Special Committees

None

15. Perfection Consent Calendar

None

16. Board Bills for Perfection

None

17. Third Reading Consent Calendar

None

18. Third Reading / Report of Engrossment and Final Passage

None

19. Report of Enrollment Committee

None

20. Courtesy Resolutions

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the Courtesy Resolutions Calendar.

The Assistant Clerk read the following:

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 31
HONORING WILLIAM A. PEARSON**

WHEREAS, This Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis has been apprised of many contributions of Mr. William Pearson to the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, William A. Pearson grew-up in the City of St. Louis at 2339 Delmar Boulevard, in the heart of the Lucas Heights Community, and graduated first in his class from Banneker School, and second in his class from Vashon High School; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pearson has given many years of untiring service and support to the Lucas Heights Community, formerly known as Mill Creek, and the Washington Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pearson has never wavered in his commitment to ongoing improvement of the quality of the environment in the Lucas Heights Community to ensure that remains a place for families to live, worship, and raise and educate their children, and he has been central to the community's revitalization; and

WHEREAS, with the assistance of his church, Washington Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church, and others Mr. Pearson brought to fruition his vision to develop affordable housing in the Lucas Heights Community with the construction of 565 affordable housing units in the community; and

WHEREAS, for forty-six years Mr. Pearson was an educator in the St. Louis Public Schools where he set standards for excellence and leadership in education in and out of the classroom and in school administration, and ultimately retired from the St. Louis Public Schools in 1997 as the Associate Superintendent for Curriculum Development; and

WHEREAS, in 1960 Mr. Pearson was selected from a large pool of outstanding American educators by the United States Department of Education to be the U.S. Advisor of Education to the nation of Liberia in the region of West Africa, and during his two years as the U.S. Advisor of Education to Liberia he also served as chargé d'affaires of the U.S. Embassy in Liberia when the Ambassador travelled abroad; and

WHEREAS, soon after his return from Liberia Mr. Pearson was made a member of a select team of educators charged with merging and integrating the racially segregated Harris Teachers College and Stowe Teachers College, and due to his work on this effort he was named Dean of Instruction of the newly formed Harris – Stowe State University; and

WHEREAS, throughout his travels around the world, and regardless of his then current leadership position Mr. Pearson never lost sight of or allowed his dedication to the Lucas Heights Community to diminish; and

WHEREAS, it is for the forgoing reasons that an honorary street name is a fitting and greatly deserved way to honor William A. Pearson for his numerous and significant contributions to the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance 68937, an ordinance authorizing the honorary street name William A. Pearson Street, which shall begin at the intersection of North Cardinal Avenue and Franklin Avenue and run south on North Cardinal Avenue to the intersection of North Cardinal Avenue and Samuel Shepard Drive.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause to recognize and celebrate the life of Mr. William Pearson and acknowledge his many accomplishments and contributions to the City of St. Louis. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy to the end that it may be presented to those deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Marlene Davis, Alderwoman Ward 19
The Honorable Sharon Tyus, Alderwoman 1st Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 32
HONORING BILL BRADLEY

WHEREAS, the City of St. Louis Board of Aldermen congratulates Bill Bradley on 29 years of service to Anheuser-Busch and thank him for his contribution to the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, after nearly 29 years with Anheuser-Busch, Bill Bradley will be ending his career with the iconic St. Louis brewer; and

WHEREAS, Bill's massive contributions to Anheuser-Busch span nearly three decades; Bill began as an on-premise and special events marketing representative before moving to a series of district and senior market managerial positions over a variety of states in Region 2; and

WHEREAS, he then moved to managing regional marketing programs and partnerships in the Midwest before coming back to his hometown of St. Louis and holding brand management positions on brands such as Bud Light, Budweiser, Michelob and Shock Top, to name a few; and

WHEREAS, nine years ago, Bill moved to Corporate Affairs and has been a key leader ever since; First, he was the Senior Director of the Responsible Drinking platform, leading all of the company's alcohol responsibility advertising and program strategies; and

WHEREAS, for the last four and a half years, Bill has been the Vice President of Community Affairs, leading community relations efforts and strategies; Bill has also overseen the Anheuser-Busch Foundation and Emergency Drinking Water program; Lastly, Bill has been a senior leader within the Porter-Brown Society, driving that Panorama community forward with his guidance and perspective; and

WHEREAS, we want to thank Bill for his service and list of accomplishments; He truly has been a "Bud Man" through and through, and the company is so much better off for his leadership, amazing results and allyship.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Bill Bradley and congratulate him on a job well done. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020

Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President St. Louis City Board of Aldermen

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 33
HONORING JOAN LEGGETT**

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis of the many accomplishments of Joan Leggett an achiever in the St. Louis community; and

WHEREAS, Joan attended Cathedral Grade School and Rosati Kain High School; and

WHEREAS, she met the love of her life, Ronald Leggett, through the Young Democrats and was married on April 7, 1965 and was married for fifty-five (55) years; and

WHEREAS, she worked at Jewish Hospital in St. Louis and then later for Dr. Lansing at Jewish Hospital (Louisville) during the time Ronald was in law school at University of Louisville from 1971-74; and

WHEREAS, once returning to St. Louis she devoted her time, talents, brilliance, wit, passion to her neighborhood, St. Joan of Arc Church and school, the 23rd Ward, St. Louis city politics, and countless other volunteer activities at SJA. She further devoted her time to her three children's grade school and then their high schools; and

WHEREAS, later during those years, she also returned to a full-time job at SLU Department of OB-GYN sharing her knowledge and skills with beloved patients, doctors, nurses, and coworkers; and

WHEREAS, she was devoted to all these but most of all to her husband, Ronald A. Leggett (just Ron to her) and her children, Samantha, Ronald Jr. (Julie) and Vanessa (Tony); and

WHEREAS, she is a loving grandma to Matthew (Matt) and Bailey Leggett, Abigail (Abby) and Sophia (Sophie) Leggett, Charles (Charlie) and Emma Berra and beloved great-grandma (Nana) to Tatum Leggett and countless pets over the years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the many contributions of Ms. Joan Leggett and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join in with those celebrating her life. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September 2020 by:
The Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 34
HONORING REVEREND BISHOP ALPHONSO SCOTTN

WHEREAS, This Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis has been apprised of the recent passing of the Most Reverend Bishop Alphonso Scott, his many achievements and contributions to the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, Elder Alphonso Scott was installed as pastor of Lively Stone Church in Nortonville, Kentucky. During his pastorate there, he served as District Elder and Chairman of the First Apostolic Council of Kentucky and Tennessee. In 1987, after the death of his father, he relocated to St. Louis, Missouri to pastor Lively Stone Church of God, St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, in 1989, Elder Scott was appointed to the episcopacy and was consecrated Bishop in the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World. From 1989-1995 he served as the Diocesan of the 38th Episcopal District, which encompasses the country of Haiti. From 1995-2000, he served as the Diocesan of the 11th Episcopal District, which is the First Apostolic Council of Kentucky and Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Scott also served two terms as Auxiliary Bishop of the International Young People's Union. From 2000 – 2011, he served as the Diocesan of the 12th Episcopal District - The Midwestern District Council. While serving as the Diocesan of all councils, churches were added, and many pastors sought his guidance and advice; and

WHEREAS, after many years of service, with much prayer and counsel, Bishop Scott resigned the position of Diocesan becoming Bishop Emeritus as conferred by the Board of Bishops of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World, Incorporated in August of 2010; and

WHEREAS, as Bishop Scott persisted in the involvement of community development and the expansion of the church, his responsibilities as mentor, teacher, and administrator also continued to grow. The demands on his time and expertise were formidable. Recognizing the scope of the assignment upon him, the church called for the evaluation of Bishop Scott for elevation and apostolic succession. Bishop was elevated to Presiding Prelate of Lively Stone Church of God on June 22nd, 2012 where the expansion of the Lively Stone Fellowship rapidly grew to over 80 churches; and

WHEREAS, Bishop Scott, the Presiding Prelate of the Lively Stone Church of God Fellowship Churches Incorporated, transitioned from this life on July 19, 2020 at his home in Ferguson, Mo and was born on July 10, 1937 in Saint Louis, Mo.; and

WHEREAS, he is survived by his two sons, Dwight Scott and Lee Scott; two daughters-in-law, Taya and Sonja; and seven grandchildren, Alphonso Demetrius, Lee Alexander II (Sariah), Lawrence Robert, Davon

Tyrese, Julia Grace, Joelle Alexis; and one great granddaughter, Avery Jael; a sister, Mary Scott; one brother, Lee Granderson Scott and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife of sixty-one years, Phyllis Ann Scott; and

WHEREAS, the Homegoing Celebration for Bishop Alphonso Scott is scheduled for Saturday, August 8, 2020, 10:00 a.m. at Lively Stone Church of God located at 4015 Saint Louis Avenue in Saint Louis, Missouri.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize life achievements and many selfless contributions of the Most Reverend Bishop Alphonso Scott and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join with those celebrating his life. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented at a time and place and to those deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Dwinderlin Evans, Alderwoman 4th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 35 **HONORING THE RED, BLACK AND GREEN FLAG**

WHEREAS, historians have written that the **Red**, **Black**, and **Green** Flag was created by the Honorable Marcus Garvey and introduced at the Universal Negro Improvement Association (UNIA) convention in 1920 in Madison Square Garden in New York City; and

WHEREAS, UNIA was the organization founded by Marcus Garvey and had chapters throughout the USA, the Caribbean, South America, Africa and Canada. There were two (2) chapters in the St. Louis area. Their headquarters are now in Cleveland, OH; and

WHEREAS, although other designs are also considered to be International African flags the three equal horizontal stripes of **Red**, **Black**, and **Green** originated by the UNIA in 1920, is the design most often referenced. The Universal Negro Improvement Association and African Communities League (UNIA) formally adopted the flag on August 13, 1920, in Article 39 of the Declaration of Rights of the Negro Peoples of the World. During its month-long convention held at Madison Square Garden in New York City, United States; and

WHEREAS, there are differing historical explanations as to Marcus Garvey's reasons for creating the flag. A 1921 report that appeared in the Africa Times and Orient Review, for which Marcus Garvey previously worked, quoted him regarding the importance of the flag: "Show me the race or the nation without a flag, and I will show you a race of people without any pride. Aye! In song and mimicry, they have said, Every race has a flag but the coon. How true! Aye! But that was said of us four years ago. They can't say it now...;" and

WHEREAS, it has been explained by journalist Charles Mowbray White that Garvey proposed the colors for the following reasons: "Garvey said **Red** because of sympathy for the 'Reds of the world' and the **Green** their sympathy for the Irish in their fight for freedom, and the **Black** the Negro; and

WHEREAS, alternatively, it is said that the three Pan-African colors on the flag represent: **Red**: the blood that unites all people of Black African ancestry, and shed for liberation; **Black**: black people whose existence as a nation, though not a nation-state, is affirmed by the existence of the flag; and **Green**: the abundant natural wealth of Africa; and

WHEREAS, the flag goes by several other names such as the Marcus Garvey Flag, the International African Flag, the Universal African Flag, the Black Liberation Flag, the Afro-American Flag, the Black Nationalist Flag, the African Nationalist Flag, the New Afrikans Liberation Flag and the Pan-African Flags; and

WHEREAS, whatever the reason for the creation of the flag, the flag later became an African nationalist symbol for the worldwide liberation of people of African origin. As an emblem of Black pride, the flag became popular during the Black Liberation movement of the 1960s; and

WHEREAS, on February 7, 2014 The St Louis City Board of Aldermen passed Resolution 223CS directing the City to prominently display the **Red, Black and Green** Flag at, in and outside of City Hall each year during the month of February (African-American History Month) to recognize and celebrate the many contributions that Black Americans have made and are still making to make America the great country that it is today; and

WHEREAS, August 13, 2020 marks the 100th Anniversary of the **Red, Black and Green** Flag and as such this significant, note-worthy important anniversary and legacy passed down to those of us of African Ancestry by our ancestors should be honored, noted, and celebrated as a time to honor Black African Ancestry and the many contributions people of African Ancestry have made to our great Country.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the sponsors of this resolution in honoring the 100th Anniversary of the **Red, Black and Green** Flag encourage all who support and honor the legacy passed down to us by African ancestors to feel free to proudly fly, wear and/or carry the **Red, Black and Green** Flag on Thursday, August 13, 2020 and throughout the month of August.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this Honorable Board of Aldermen be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution to be presented at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsors to persons and organization in the St. Louis Community that have worked to provide significant contributions to furthering of African American causes in the City of St. Louis.

Introduced on this 18th day of September 2020 by
The Honorable Sharon Tyus, Alderwoman 1st Ward
The Honorable Marlene Davis, Alderwoman 19th Ward
The Honorable John Muhammad, Alderman 21st Ward
The Honorable Pamela Boyd, Alderwoman 27th Ward
The Honorable Brandon Bosley, Alderman 3rd Ward
The Honorable Lisa Middlebrook, Alderwoman 2nd Ward
The Honorable Shameem Clark-Hubbard, Alderwoman 26th Ward
The Honorable Jesse Todd, Alderman 18th Ward
The Honorable Dwindlerlin Evans, Alderwoman 4th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 36 HONORING OZELLAR HICKS

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis of the passing of Ozellar Hicks, a pillar in our community; and

WHEREAS, Ozellar Hicks was born September 15, 1922 in Scott Mississippi to Tom and Marrella Ervin who preceded her in death and was the youngest of three children; and

WHEREAS, she declared her hope in Christ at the early age of 11, under the leadership of late Rev. Alexander of the Neutron Chapel M.B. Church in Benoit, Mississippi where she also received her education; and

WHEREAS, in 1953 Ozellar was united in holy matrimony to Elvin Hicks and with Elvin had two daughters Jane Caffey and Octavia Frazier Thornton and one son Lawrence Clarence (LC) Ervin who preceded her in death; and

WHEREAS, she spent a vast majority of her earlier years in Mississippi as a sharecropper. In 1964 Ozellar decided to join the rest of her family in St. Louis, Mo. where she became a private domestic worker and later gained employment at the Sheraton Hotel where she worked until she retired in 1983; and

WHEREAS, Ozellar's zeal for Christ and willingness to serve the lord led her to various churches through the years. She first became a member of the New Paradise Baptist Church under the leadership of her brother in law, Sidney Frazier, serving diligently on the usher board for many years. She later moved her membership to the Zion M.B. Church under the leadership of the later Rev. Sylvester L. Thompson. In 1972 she united with the New St. Peters Rock B.C. under the leadership of the late Rev. R.J. Dixon where she also served as an usher; and

WHEREAS, in 1987, she found her final church home, Union Mission Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the great Rev. Dr. Calvin Jones. She loved her church and loved her pastor even more. There were times when she thought he was her own personal pastor and didn't want to share. When he would come to see her or do a service at Oakwood, that was the highlight of her day. All she would talk about was bald headed Jones; and

WHEREAS, she was a faithful member. She served as the president of the usher board, she faithfully attended Sunday school and served as the chaplain of the mission ministry. She served until here health failed and she could no longer serve. However, her health did not stop her she remained faithful to union eve while at Oakwood. She attended worship services every 1st Wednesday, that's when her church and pastor came; and

WHEREAS, she loved her family and nothing was more important than family to her. Ozellar departed this life on Wednesday, May 27, 6pm at Green Park Nursing Home. She leaves to cherish her twoDdaughters Jane Caffey and Octavia Thornton; nine Grandchildren Octavia (James), Lawrence Cooks, Anthony Ervin (Debbie), Donell Ervin (Linda), Juanita Caffey, Nicole Caffey, Kim Caffey, Randy Thornton (Kim) and Shante Thornton; twenty Great-Grandchildren; twelve Great-Great Grandchildren; one nephew Roy Jones (Jeanette); two Great Nieces, one Great-Nephew, one Great-Great Niece; one first cousin Virginia Jones of Benoit, Mississippi; a God Daughter Brenda Jones; and a host of other family and friends.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLOVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to acknowledge the passing of one of our community pillars and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join in with those celebrating her life and direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this resolution across the proceedings of this Board and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it might be presented at a time and place and to those deemed appropriate by its sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Pamela Boyd, Alderman 27th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 37
HONORING THE INSTALLATION OF RYAN M. BRANSON AND THE 150TH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE TUSCAN LODGE NUMBER 360

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis of the 150TH Anniversary of the Tuscan Lodge Number 360 of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and the installation of Brother Ryan Martel Branson, Sr as its Worshipful Master; and

WHEREAS, Freemasonry began 303 years ago, in 1717, with what is now recognized as the United Grand Lodge of England (UGLE) with the first American Lodge being established 13 years later in Philadelphia in 1730 where Benjamin Franklin was a founding member however, at that time, the order did not admit members of African descent; and

WHEREAS, after more than five decades of struggle and winning the right to participate, people of African descent were able to participate as members of the Freemasons which lead to Prince Hall and others establishing African Lodge No. 459 on September 29, 1784. However, descendants of African people were still discriminated against and were only allowed to participate within the Fraternity amongst themselves, separated from White Men, under “Separate and Unequal”; and

WHEREAS, since that day and with much fewer resources as the “White Lodges” the Prince Hall Masons have been a staple in America heroically and continuously fighting for justice and the ending of racial discrimination, providing various philanthropic services, establishing lodges and other institutions all which have helped to make the Freemasons a more just and equitable fraternal order as well as improving all of America; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday, September 5, 2020 Brother Ryan M. Branson, Sr. will be installed as the Worshipful Master of the Tuscan Lodge Number 360 of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons for their 2020 – 2021 Masonic Calendar; and

WHEREAS, Brother Branson, has a rich history of community service, involvement and achievement too long to be outlined any one writing but is a native of St. Louis and graduated from Soldan International High Scholl in 2004; and

WHEREAS, Ryan became a member of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Illinois by way of the prestigious Southern Cross Lodge Number 112 in East St. Louis, Illinois as a 'Lewis' Legacy of his grandfather Bro. Vertis Branson, Sr; and

WHEREAS, after his induction into the Masonic Order, he joined the Missouri Air National Guard and served from 2004 to 2008. Ryan later returned home and attended Harris-Stowe State University where he became a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc, and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice in 2013; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2009 Ryan became an Affiliated Member of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons by way of Collinsville Lodge Number 712, in Collinsville, Illinois. Moreover, on June 15th, 2010 Ryan became Affiliated as a Multiple Member of the Grand Lodge of Missouri, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons by way of the Historic Tuscan Lodge Number 360 in St. Louis, Missouri where he served in the following capacities: Junior Steward; Junior Deacon; Senior Deacon; Junior Warden; and finally, the first African-American & Sesquicentennial Worshipful Master; and

WHEREAS, being a proven and able leader Ryan also attained membership within the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the United States of America, Northern Masonic Jurisdiction; the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, International and served as the first African-American High Priest of Missouri within Oriental-Rabboni Chapter Number 78 in Webster Groves; the General Grand Council of Cryptic Masons, International; The Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America; the Grand Council Allied Masonic Degrees of the United States of America, an Honorary and Invitational Body Dedicated to Masonic Research and Education; and the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLOVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to acknowledge the rich history of the Prince Hall Masons and the 150th Anniversary of Tuscan Lodge Number 360 of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and by adoption of this Resolution recognize the many achievements of Brother Ryan M. Branson. We further congratulate him on being installed as the Worshipful Master of the Lodge for the 2020-2021 Masonic Calendar and direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it might be presented at a time and place and to those deemed appropriate by its sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Marlene Davis, Alderman 19th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 38
11th ANNUAL SISTA STRUT
VIRTUAL BREAST CANCER AWARENESS CELEBRATION

WHEREAS, Sista Strut is the largest walk of its kind in the nation to support women of color and most of all with an effort to support the community of St. Louis with over 12,000 people in attendance; all of the contributions raised for the excellent charities Sista Strut supports remain here and benefit women in St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, the goal of Sista Strut is to heighten awareness about the issues of breast cancer in women of color, as well as provide information on community resources; studies show that African-American women are more likely to get breast cancer at a younger age and have a death rate from breast cancer twice that of Caucasian women of the same age; and

WHEREAS, we recognize Derrick Martin, BJ the DJ and the entire working I Heart Media staff for their dedication to this important event that observes October as Breast Cancer Awareness Month with the Annual “Sista Strut” 3K Breast Cancer Walk & 5K Run, rewarding the strength of survivors, their family and friends; and

WHEREAS the COVID-19 pandemic of 2020 will make the 2020 Sista Strut an online event Saturday, Oct. 3 at 10 a.m.; despite the pandemic, Sista Strut participants will continue the tradition of honoring loved ones who passed away and celebrate survivors; and because the event is virtual this year, anyone in the world can participate and heighten awareness, promote early detection and the search for a cure.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the many accomplishments of Derrick Martin, BJ the DJ and the entire working I Heart Media staff as we celebrate 11 years and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 18th Day of September 2020 by:
Honorable Marlene Davis, Ward 19
Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President St. Louis City Board of Aldermen
Honorable Shameem Clark-Hubbard, Ward 26
Honorable Pamela Boyd, Ward 27

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 39
HONORING CHADWICK BOSEMAN**

WHEREAS, the news on Friday, August 28, 2020 of the untimely death of renowned African-American actor Chadwick Boseman at age 43 left many surprised and greatly saddened; and

WHEREAS, this shocking news left his fans and industry peers struggling to take stock of a meteoric career cut short and the impact of an actor whose work shined a light on Black history and culture; and

WHEREAS, Chadwick Boseman is known for his portrayal of T'Challa, "The Black Panther", in the Marvel Cinematic Universe from 2016 to 2019, particularly in Black Panther (2018), and for his starring roles as several pioneering Americans, Jackie Robinson in 42 (2013), James Brown in Get on Up (2014), and Thurgood Marshall in Marshall (2017); and

WHEREAS, He also had choice parts in The Express (2008), Draft Day (2014), and Message from the King (2016); and

WHEREAS, born in Anderson, South Carolina, he attended Howard University and studied at the Oxford Mid-Summer Program for acting, before moving to Los Angeles in 2008 to pursue his craft on the big screen; and

WHEREAS, he died in 2020, after a four-year bout with colon cancer, during which time he had starred in several of the biggest movies ever made; and

WHEREAS, Marvel's Black Panther was a cultural phenomenon, a historic box office success that's brought in rave reviews and sparked conversation all over social media and traditional media alike; and

WHEREAS, Black Panther was a healthy injection of powerful, beautiful images of the black body. It's what's behind the lure of Wakanda, a land of black vibrancy, freedom, diversity, and discourse not blighted by outside forces or forced to negotiate with anyone but themselves; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize life achievements and contributions of Chadwick Boseman and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join with those celebrating and honoring his life. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented at a time and place and to those deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

**Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable John Muhammad, Alderwoman 21st Ward**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 40
HONORING OFFICER TAMARRIS L. BOHANNON**

WHEREAS, the City of St. Louis Board of Aldermen pauses in our deliberations to note the untimely and tragic passing of Officer Tamarris L. Bohannon on August 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Bohannon was a police officer for the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and was fatally injured in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, he was affectionately known as “T” by his family and known as "Bo" by his squad of the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department; and

WHEREAS, he was a three-year veteran, who was raised in St. Louis and continued to live and raise his family in the City in which he patrolled; and

WHEREAS, he is a hero to many, but most importantly to his loving wife, Alexis, and three incredible children, Tamara, Tylor and Hayden; and

WHEREAS, the loss of this great man is felt deeply within the St. Louis community by his colleagues, his friends, and his family; he will never be forgotten.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, on behalf of the St. Louis community, we pause to remember the many contributions of Officer Tamarris L. Bohannon to the citizens of the City of St. Louis, his children and his family; We honor him for his dedication and heroic acts; We recognize him for his giving spirit; and we join with his many friends and family in expressing our sorrow at his passing, and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy for presentation to the family, at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020

The Honorable Lewis E. Reed, President St. Louis City Board of Aldermen

The Honorable Sharon Tyus, Alderwoman 1st Ward

The Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward

The Honorable Shane Cohn, Alderman 25th Ward

The Honorable Bret Narayan, Alderman 24th Ward

The Honorable Cara Spencer, Alderwoman 20th Ward

The Honorable Tom Oldenburg, Alderman 16th Ward

The Honorable Dan Guenther, Alderman 9th Ward

The Honorable John Coatar, Alderman 7th Ward

The Honorable Pam Boyd, Alderwoman 27th Ward

The Honorable Christine Ingrassia, Alderwoman 6th Ward

The Honorable Tammika Hubbard, Alderwoman 5th Ward

The Honorable Lisa Middlebrook, Alderwoman 2nd Ward

The Honorable John Collins-Muhammad, Alderman 21st Ward

The Honorable Joseph Roddy, Alderman 17th Ward

The Honorable Annie Rice, 8th Alderwoman Ward

The Honorable Joseph Vollmer, Alderman 10th Ward

The Honorable Beth Murphy, Alderwoman 13th Ward

The Honorable Brandon Bosley, Alderman 3rd Ward

The Honorable Carol Howard, 14th Ward

The Honorable Shameem Clark-Hubbard, Alderwoman 26th Ward

The Honorable Jesse Todd, Alderman 18th Ward

The Honorable Marlene Davis, Alderwoman 19th Ward

The Honorable Jeffrey Boyd, Alderman 22nd Ward

The Honorable Sarah Martin, Alderwoman 11th Ward

The Honorable Vicky Grass, Alderwoman 12th Ward

The Honorable Dwinderlin Evans, Alderwoman 4th Ward

The Honorable Heather Navarro, Alderwoman 28th Ward

The Honorable Megan Green, Alderwoman 15th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 41
HONORING THE 125th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

WHEREAS, we have been apprised that on September 28, 2020 (the feast day of St. Wenceslaus, 10th century King of Bohemia), St. Wenceslaus Parish in south St. Louis celebrates their 125th year anniversary; founded in 1895 as an “offspring” of St. John Nepomuk Parish, the first Czech parish in the United States after the parish outgrew its capacity; and

WHEREAS, St. Wenceslaus Parish has served the St. Louis community in their current location on Oregon Avenue in south St. Louis since their inception with the current church building being dedicated in 1926 and the current school building (St. Francis Cabrini Academy) being dedicated in 1936; while the school has changed names several times over the years, St. Wenceslaus church has remained constant serving the religious and community needs of its parishioners, neighbors and visitors; and

WHEREAS, from 1895 through 1990 (95 years), 108 School Sisters of Notre Dame (SSND) nuns and sisters were assigned to the school and parish to serve as educators and in other ministries; their longtime dedication, compassion, care and teaching helped the school and parish thrive and succeed; and

WHEREAS, St. Wenceslaus was designated by the Archdiocese of St. Louis in 2005 as a “Personal Parish”, a parish without specific boundaries allowing members to become parishioners from all areas of the diocese; over 200 families are registered as parishioners at St. Wenceslaus serving a diverse and faithful community; and

WHEREAS, the Missionaries of the Holy Family North American Provincial Headquarters is located in St. Louis, MO. at 3014 Oregon under the leadership of their Provincial Superior, Very Reverend Philip Sosa, M.S.F and supported by a 12 member civilian Apostolate Board partially made up of members of St. Wenceslaus Parish.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize and congratulate St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church (and Missionaries of the Holy Family) on the occasion of their 125th Anniversary, with added congratulations to School Sisters of Notre Dame and Missionaries of the Holy Family for their longtime service to the parish. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honorees at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsors.

Introduced on the 18th day of September, 2020 by:
Honorable Lewis Reed, President, Board of Aldermen

RESOLUTION NUMBER 43
HONORING RUTH TAYLOR SCOTT

WHEREAS, is has come to the attention of this honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis of the many contribution, achievements and passing of Ruth Taylor Scott; and

WHEREAS, she was born in St. Louis, Missouri on October 1, 1943 to the late James Thurnell Taylor and the late Janie E. Yeai; and

WHEREAS, she was preceded in death by her eldest Brother Tyrone Watkins and Alvin C. Walker. She is survived by her brother Calvin T. Walker better known as “Calionae”) and

WHEREAS, she married the late James C. Scott Jr. and to this union 3 children were born, James C. Scott III, Brian D. Scott and Jamae Scott; and

WHEREAS, she attended Curtis Elementary School; Soldan High School but graduated from Sumner High School in 1961; and

WHEREAS, Ruth was baptized on November of 1989 at Mercy Seat Missionary Baptist Church under the able leadership of the late Reverend James Brown Sr.; and

WHEREAS, she served on the Health Unit of the church since 1993 and among the titles and jobs she held were “Health Unit Secretary”, “Photographer for the Church.”; and

WHEREAS, as she and the late Reverend Brown Sr. called her the “Cemetery Nurse”. She ended her Nursing Serves to the Church as Assistant Supervisor on the Nurses Unit. She was Mom, Grandma, Auntie, Cousin, Friend to so many; and

WHEREAS, Ruth had a lengthy career in Government Services. She started at Defense Mapping (Aeronautical Chart) as a Key Punch Operator and continued working in the field. She worked for (USPS) United States Postal Service as a Mail sorter; Post Data Center (PDC); Uniform Allowance; Air Mail Department as an Accountant Specialist; she also was EEOC Counselor until Retirement in 2003; and

WHEREAS, she was best known as “Baby Ruth the Comedian.” Her mother Janie had the opportunity to see her perform at “The Silver Dollar Club” that was the “Best Show Ever”; and

WHEREAS, she was one of the ambassadors of the Family Reunions with the “Beautiful Smile” that only she could give; and

WHEREAS, Ruth T. Scott was a proud constituent of “The MIGHTY 26” Ward in the Academy Sherman Park Neighborhood in the City of St. Louis. She was ever present at community meetings and events and was truly a people’s advocate for good; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Ruth T. Scott fought a good fight and kept her faith -Psalms 23 and 2Timothy 4:7. She was Mom, Grandma, “Aunti”, Cousin, and Friend to so many; she was “EVERYTHANG”; and

WHEREAS, she leaves to cherish her memory many family members including her brother, grandchildren, great grandchildren, in laws, friends and her Mercy Seat family.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the many contributions of Ms. Ruth Taylor Scott and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join in with those commemorating and celebrating her life. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September 2020 by:
The Honorable Shameem Clark- Hubbard, Alderwoman 26th Ward

RESOLUTION NUMBER 44 HONORING LOU BROCK

WHEREAS, Lou Brock was born June 18, 1939 in El Dorado, Arkansas, the seventh of nine children; and

WHEREAS, although he spent a lot of time working as a child and did not start playing organized baseball until relatively late in his childhood, Lou Brock was a natural and became one of the all-time greats; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock graduated high school third in his class attended Southern University initially on an athletic scholarship. When Brock fell a little short one semester of the academic stipulations that came with the scholarship, not being one to let a setback stop his dreams, he took a job working for the baseball team. When they gave him a chance to prove his talent as a player, he was offered a full baseball scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock played college baseball for Southern University where the team became the first historically black to win the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics' baseball championship. Lou was selected by the U.S. Olympic Committee to play for the United States Pan American Games that same year; and

WHEREAS, in 1960, Lou was signed by the Chicago Cubs where he played until traded to the St. Louis Cardinals in 1964; and

WHEREAS, now seen as the best trade in St. Louis Cardinal's history, Brock joined the team and helped them go from fourth place and 6 ½ games from first place, to beating the New York Yankees in the World Series. Brock hit .348, scored 81 runs and stole 33 bases in 103 games with the Cardinals that year; and

WHEREAS, During the next 12 seasons, he averaged 65 steals and 99 runs scored a year. He helped the Cardinals to World Series wins in 1964 and 1967 and to another pennant in 1968, the year he led the National League in doubles, triples and stolen bases. He batted .439 in the 1967 and 1968 postseasons, which included 12 hits in the 1967 World Series and a record 13 hits in the 1968 series; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock broke the record for stolen bases in a season in 1974 with 118 stolen bases. He also broke the record of most stolen bases in a career with 938 at the time of his retirement; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock's other notable on the field achievements include becoming the 14th player in baseball history to surpass 3,000 hits, with 1,610 runs scored, 900 runs batted in and 149 home runs; and

WHEREAS, Brock received numerous awards during his playing career. The list includes the Babe Ruth Award as the outstanding player in the 1967 World Series; The Sporting News Player of the Year Award in 1974 & 1979; The Jackie Robinson Award and the Roberto Clemente Award in March 1975, for best exemplifying the game of baseball both on and off the field; the Lou Gehrig Memorial Award in 1977 as the player who best exemplified Lou Gehrig's ability and character. In 1978, the National League announced that its annual stolen base leader would receive the Lou Brock Award, making Brock the first active player to have an award named after him; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock was inducted in to the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1985, his first year of eligibility; and

WHEREAS, after baseball, Lou Brock was a successful businessman and continued to give back to the communities. He and his wife, Jackie, were both ordained ministers serving at Abundant Life Fellowship Church in St. Louis. In 2002, Brock received the Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans Award. Brock

established and Endowment Scholarship Fund at Southern University to provide scholarships to give low-income high school students the same opportunity he had; and

WHEREAS, Lou Brock was a great ball player, a great man, and a St. Louis treasure who will be greatly missed. His indomitable spirit can serve as a source of inspiration for any young person looking to achieve success. Brock leaves his wife, Jacqueline, his daughter Wanda and son, Lou Brock Jr., to cherish his memory.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause to recognize and celebrate the life of Mr. Lou Brock and acknowledge his many accomplishments and contributions to the City of St. Louis, and the joy he gave baseball fans all across the world. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy to the end that it may be presented to those deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Lewis Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

RESOLUTION NUMBER 45
HONORING ROSEMARY D. PETRUSO

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis of the passing of Rosemary. D. Petruso and of her many life achievements and contributions; and

WHEREAS, Rosemary taught for over 40 years in the St. Louis Archdiocese and the public school system; and

WHEREAS, she was a mentor to many students and was very passionate about what she did, touching many lives and was a selfless and caring woman to friends, family, neighbors, and strangers; and

WHEREAS, Rosemary and Tony, her husband, owned and operated Overlord Military Collectables for over 34 years; and

WHEREAS, she Rosemary was a member of St. Angela Merici Catholic Church. She was a woman of great faith, which she instilled in her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Rosemary D. Petruso “nee Lusch” was fortified with the sacraments of the Holy Mother Church, Saturday, September 5, 2020 at the age of 72; and

WHEREAS, she was the loving wife of Tony Petruso; beloved daughter of the late Bernard "Bud" and Lucille Lusch; devoted mother of Maria (Warren) Doerle, and Domenic "Nick" (Christine) Petruso; and

WHEREAS, she was the cherished grandmother of Brandyn Doerle, Zachary Michael Petruso, Sean Shaw, Jacob Doerle, Zachary Louis Shaw, Annaliese (Sean Gallagher) Doerle, Mia Petruso, and Rosalia Petruso; and

WHEREAS, she was the treasured great-grandmother of Bella, Roman, Aiden, and Mason; dear sister of Bernard "Bud" (Kathie) Lusch; sister-in-law to Lenore K. Petruso and Frank (Sue) Petruso; and

WHEREAS, Rosemary was preceded in death by her son, Anthony Joseph Petruso, sister, Patricia Koehne, and sister-in-law, Rosemary K. Petruso; and

WHEREAS, she cherished every moment, spending time with family, always taking photos. Rosemary was dearly loved and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize the many achievements and contributions of Rosemary D. Petruso and by adoption of this Resolution wish to join those celebrating her life. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy to the end that it may be presented to those deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

**Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Pamela Boyd, Alderwoman 27th Ward**

President Reed recognized Ms. Davis on the motion to adopt the Courtesy Resolutions Calendar.

Ms. Davis moved to adopt the Courtesy Resolutions Calendar.

Seconded by Ms. Howard.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

21. First Reading of Resolutions

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to the First reading of Resolutions.

The Assistant Clerk read the following:

**RESOLUTON NUMBER 30
RESOLUTION OF INTENTION TO ESTABLISH
O'FALLON – PENROSE SPECIAL BUSINESS DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, this Honorable Board of Aldermen has received petitions from owners of real property on which is paid ad valorem real property taxes in the proposed special business district to be known as the O'Fallon - Penrose Special Business District; and

WHEREAS, the O'Fallon – Penrose Special Business District shall be formed in that portion of the City of St. Louis within the maximum commonly known boundaries beginning at Mark Twain Expressway on the north going easterly along Bircher Ave. in City Block 4403.26 easterly to Von Phul in City Block then southerly along Linton Ave., to West Florissant Ave, in City Block 3600.00 to Mary Ave. continue Easterly towards Warne Ave in City block 5037.00 continuing southerly to Kossuth Ave. then heading west to Fair Ave in City Block 3613.00 along City Park Fair Ground Park Southerly to Natural Bridge Boulevard (centerline) on the East. Continuing West on Natural Bridge Boulevard, (center line on the South), to Shreve Avenue. (center line) on the west, with the Western boundary the north-south alley in City Block 4388.66 prolongating Shreve Ave to Bircher Ave in City Block 4403.26, being the point of beginning; and

WHEREAS, Sections 71.790 to 71.808 RSMo require that the governing body of the City must adopt a Resolution of Intention to establish a special business district prior to such establishment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that this Honorable Board of Aldermen herewith states its intention to establish a special business district under the provisions of Sections 71.790-71.808 RSMo to be known as the O'Fallon - Penrose Business District, or such other name that it deems appropriate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT that this Honorable Board of Aldermen hereby directs the Ways & Means Committee to hold a public hearing to consider the establishment of the proposed O'Fallon – Penrose Special Business District, on _____, 2020 at ____:____m. in City Hall.

Introduced this 17th day of July, 2020 by:

The Honorable John Muhammad Collins, Alderman 21st Ward

President Reed recognized Mr. Muhammad on Resolution Number 30.

Mr. Muhammad requested Unanimous Consent.

President Reed asked if there was any opposition to Unanimous Consent. There was none.

Mr. Muhammad moved to adopt Resolution Number 30.

Seconded by Mr. Vaccaro.

President Reed called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 42 SUPPORTING THE ANTI-RACISM IN PUBLIC HEALTH ACT

WHEREAS, for centuries structural racism in the United States has harmed Black and Brown communities and served as a major barrier to health equity; and

WHEREAS, racial disparities in health care access and health outcomes exist at alarming rates as seen in the prevalence of chronic health conditions, such as diabetes, asthma, and hypertension, and infant and maternal mortality and morbidity rates, and police brutality in Black and Brown communities; and

WHEREAS, in the United States people of color are less likely to be insured and thus have only limited access to health care providers, which disproportionately burdens Black and Brown communities and further exacerbates racial disparities; and

WHEREAS, the federal government has failed to recognize and address the structural racism that has denied people of color access to quality health care and its devastating impact on Black and Brown communities for far too long; and

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic has unveiled these inequities and has made it impossible to ignore racial disparities in health care access and health outcomes for people of color; and

WHEREAS, Black and Brown people are nearly three times more likely than White people to contract COVID-19 and two times more likely to die from the disease; and

WHEREAS, racial disparities in health care access and health outcomes have plagued our nation for far too long, and comprehensive research of the of the public health impacts of structural racism is needed to confront and dismantle the racist systems and practices that have created these disparities by developing race-conscious public health approaches; and

WHEREAS, the federal government's failure to collect race and ethnicity data on COVID-19 testing, hospitalizations, and deaths makes very evident the need for comprehensive research on the impacts of structural racism in health care access and health outcomes; and

WHEREAS, it is time for our nation to recognize and treat structural racism as the public health problem that it is; and

WHEREAS, on September 3rd, 2020 Senator Elizabeth Warren (D-Mass.) and Representatives Ayanna Pressley (D-Mass.) and Barbara Lee (D-Calif.) announced their bicameral bill, the Anti-Racism in Public Health Act, to confront the public health impacts of structural racism in health care access and health outcomes through two bold, new programs within the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; and

WHEREAS, the Anti-Racism in Public Health Act will expand investment in research on the public health impacts of structural racism by creating a National Center for Anti-Racism at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to develop a research base and knowledge in the science and practice of anti-racism; and

WHEREAS, the National Center for Anti-Racism would undertake such activities as research, data collection, awarding grants, and providing leadership and coordination on the science and practice of anti-racism in the provision of health care, the public health impacts of systemic racism, and the effectiveness of interventions to address these impacts; and

WHEREAS, at least three regional anti-racism centers to conduct research, educate the public, and coordinate public health efforts will be established under the National Center for Anti-Racism; and

WHEREAS, the central mandate of the National Center for Anti-Racism is to actively develop and implement anti-racist public health policy and to that end it will establish at least three regional anti-racism centers to conduct research and data collection, educate the public on the impacts of structural racism, and coordinate public health efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Anti-Racism in Public Health Act will establish a dedicated Law Enforcement Violence Prevention Program within the National Center for Injury Prevention at Control at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to approach combatting police brutality and violence as a public health matter and to address the resulting psychological injuries, trauma and stress, which disproportionately affect marginalized populations.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis, that we recognize that combatting racism is a public health necessity and that the disparities in health care access and health outcomes in Black and Brown communities are caused by structural racism and must be reversed, and that accomplishing this will require greater investment in and the expansion of research on structural racism in health care and the development of anti-racist public health policies, and to this end we support the passage of the Anti-Racism in Public Health Act of 2020.

Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:

The Honorable John Collins- Muhammad, Alderman 21st Ward

The Honorable Lewis Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

President Reed recognized Mr. Muhammad on Resolution Number 42.

Mr. Muhammad moved to send Resolution Number 42 to the Health and Human Services Committee.

Seconded by Mr. Vaccaro.

President called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 46
SUPPORTING DE-ESCALATION PROGRAMMING FOR THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS**

WHEREAS, for some time this Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis has been acutely aware of the ongoing and at times escalating violence in the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, this Board has ongoingly supported and still supports City police having all the necessary tools, equipment, staffing, programming and supplies it needs to enforce the law in a humane, community sensitive, professional and equitable manner; and

WHEREAS, policing and related offices are a significant portion of the annual budget of the City of St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, most academic reports and analysis of the reasons for crime show that there are clear, identifiable and significant indicators that are present in communities ravaged by violence that policing alone cannot address and are not designed to address; and

WHEREAS, this Board is aware that police are often times called to perform duties beyond the scope of their work and training leaving them open to unfair criticism, attacks and ridicule; and

WHEREAS, this Board has, through the passage of various types, forms and kinds of legislation and in words and writings, shown year after year that it vehemently opposes violence and strongly supports the efforts of police to keep the peace that are fair-minded and not steeped in discrimination, disenfranchisement, violation of civil liberties and inequity; and

WHEREAS, this Board supports good policing and police officers and the de-escalation of violence and realizes that this best happens when there is overall coordination and application of many types of City and community services that compliment and support the community and the workings of the police: and

WHEREAS, this Board has not taken a position supporting defunding of the police but does realize that policing alone cannot solve the growing violence in our City and that additional funding for programming for de-escalation of violence must be found and allocated while not crippling the ability of the City Police Department to do its work; and

WHEREAS, programming for de-escalation of violence and addressing the indicators of crime must become a priority for the City of St. Louis if it is to be a safe and equitable place to live and truly improve itself for all its citizens to enjoy and prosper.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we stand in support of good community policing and police officers and that we recommit ourselves to working to end

violence in the City and urge all City offices and officials to also make it a priority and to join with this Board to do all that they can toward the de-escalation of violence in the City in a coordinated and organized approach that will also address and help eliminate the underlying reasons for violence. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to send a copy of this Resolution to those deemed appropriate by its sponsor.

**Introduced this 18th day of September, 2020 by:
The Honorable Joseph Vaccaro, Alderman 23rd Ward**

President Reed recognized Mr. Vaccaro on Resolution Number 46.

Mr. Vaccaro asked that Resolution Number 46 be read by the Assistant Clerk.

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to read Resolution Number 46.

After the reading of the Resolution Number 46 and comments by Mr. Vaccaro President Reed recognized Mr. Vaccaro to continue.

Mr. Vaccaro moved to send Resolution Number 46 to the Public Safety Committee.

Seconded by Mr. Vaccaro.

President called for the vote.

The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

22. Second Reading of Resolutions, Committee Reports and Adoptions

None

23. Miscellaneous and Unfinished Business

None

24. Announcements

President Reed directed the Assistant Clerk to Announcements.

The Assistant Clerk read the following:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2020

NONE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2020

CORONAVIRUS SPECIAL COMM. – 10:00 A.M. – WEBINAR

PUBLIC SAFETY – 1:00 P.M. - WEBINAR

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2020

HUDZ – 9:00 A.M. – WEBINAR

RULES – 10:00 A.M. – WEBINAR

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2020

NONE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2020

FULL BOARD MEETING 10:00 A.M. – WEBINAR

Mr. Muhammad and Ms. Davis congratulated Mr. Bosley on cleaning up North Grand and getting the North Grand Water Tower cleaned and painted. Ms. Davis also thanked all the residents, some in her ward, who participated in this clean up that went from the 19th Ward to the 3rd Ward.

Ms. Middlebrook congratulated all the children who have started back to school in a different way than usual because of COVID-19.

Mr. Bosley thanked all of those who assisted in the North Grand clean up.

Ms. Davis congratulated the members of the Gate District West Neighborhood Association on completing a successful phase of a housing development that they organized and administered.

25. Excused Aldermen

All members were present.

26. Adjournment

President Reed recognized Mr. J. Boyd for the adjournment motion.

Mr. J. Boyd moved that the meeting adjourn, under the rules, until Friday, September 25, 2020 at 10:00am.

Seconded by Mr. Vaccaro.

The motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:43am.

27. Calendar

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2020 – OFFICE CLOSED FOR VETERAN'S DAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2020 – OFFICE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2020 – OFFICE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2020 – FULL BOARD MEETING

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2020 – OFFICE CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

FRIDAY, JANUARY, 1, 2021 – OFFICE CLOSED FOR NEW YEAR HOLIDAY

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